

BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL
RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISM
FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

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INTERNATIONAL FORM

RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT
issued pursuant to Rule 7.1 by the
INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY
identified at the bottom of this page

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NAME AND ADDRESS
OF DEPOSITOR

I. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM

Identification reference given by the
DEPOSITOR:

Brassica napus
(13-217)

Accession number given by the
INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY:

NCIMB 40991

II. SCIENTIFIC DESCRIPTION AND/OR PROPOSED TAXONOMIC DESIGNATION

The microorganism identified under I above was accompanied by:

a scientific description

a proposed taxonomic designation

(Mark with a cross where applicable)

III. RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE

This International Depository Authority accepts the microorganism identified under I above, which was received by it on
7 December 1998 (date of the original deposit)¹

IV. RECEIPT OF REQUEST FOR CONVERSION

The microorganism identified under I above was received by this International Depository Authority on
(date of the original deposit) and a request to convert the original deposit to a deposit under the Budapest Treaty was received by it
on (date of receipt of request for conversion)

V. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY

Name: NCIMB Ltd.,

Signature(s) of person(s) having the power to represent the
International Depository Authority or of authorised
official(s):

Address: 23 St Machar Drive,
Aberdeen,
AB24 3RY,
Scotland.

Date: 16 December 1998



¹ Where Rule 6/4(d) applies, such date is the date on which the status of International Depository Authority was acquired.

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INTERNATIONAL FORM

VIABILITY STATEMENT

issued pursuant to Rule 10.2 by the
INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY
identified on the following page

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY
TO WHOM THE VIABILITY STATEMENT
IS ISSUED

I. DEPOSITOR	II. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM
Name: AS ABOVE Address:	Accession number given by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY: NCIMB 40991
	Date of the deposit or of the transfer ¹ : 7 December 1998
III. VIABILITY STATEMENT	
The viability of the microorganism identified under II above was tested on 8 December 1998 2. On that date, the said microorganism was:	
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> viable <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> no longer viable	

- 1 Indicate the date of the original deposit or, where a new deposit or a transfer has been made, the most recent relevant date (date of the new deposit or date of the transfer).
- 2 In the cases referred to in Rule 10.2(a)(ii) and (iii), refer to the most recent viability test.
- 3 Mark with a cross the applicable box.

IV. CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE VIABILITY TEST HAS BEEN PERFORMED⁴

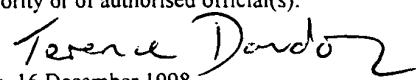
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Authority or of authorised official(s):

Date: 16 December 1998



4 Fill in if the information has been requested and if the results of the test were negative.